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## L A T E C A B L E S

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Favorable development of Argentine wheat and flaxseed crops reported for week ending November 16. Less anxiety felt on account of excessive moisture, since only local rains were received. (Agricultural Attache P. O. Nyhus, Buenos Aires, November 16, 1934.)

Czechoslovakia 1934 production forecast as follows with 1933 figures in parentheses: Potatoes 285,312,000 bushels (301,373,000), sugar beets 4,255,000 short tons (3,212,000), tobacco 32,079,000 pounds (25,957,000). (International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, November 15, 1934.)

Estimated 1934 production for Japan proper reported as follows, with 1933 crops, in parentheses: Wheat 45,577,000 bushels (38,611,000) and barley 71,507,000 bushels (66,982,000). (Office, Foreign Agricultural Service, Shanghai, November 14, 1934.)

Poland revised estimate of 1934 harvested acreage placed as follows, with corresponding 1933 figures in parentheses: Wheat 4,385,000 acres (4,187,000) and rye 14,014,000 acres (14,271,000). (International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, November 14, 1934.)

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## BREAD GRAINS

Summary of recent bread grain information

Wheat production in 1934, as represented by estimates for 43 countries, now totals 3,032,160,000 bushels, which is 303,830,000 bushels less than the harvest of these countries in 1933. The second estimate of grain production in Canada shows a reduction in all the crops, threshing returns having fallen below earlier expectations. The wheat crop, which is now placed at 275,252,000 bushels, or about 2,000,000 bushels under the September forecast of 277,304,000 bushels, shows a gain of 2 percent over the present estimate of the 1933 outturn. An upward revision for Austria's rye crop, together with the reduced estimate for Canada, brings the total 1934 rye crop in 26 countries to 874,199,000 bushels, or 15 percent under the 1933 total for the same countries.

## Current changes in wheat and rye production estimates

| Commodity and country        | : Reported up to: | Reported up to: | 1933            |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                              | : Nov. 12, 1934   | : Nov. 19, 1934 |                 |
|                              | : 1,000 bushels   | : 1,000 bushels | : 1,000 bushels |
| <u>Wheat</u>                 |                   |                 |                 |
| 43 countries reporting.....: | a/ 3,034,212:     |                 |                 |
| Canada.....:                 | 277,304:          | 275,252:        | 269,729         |
| 43 countries reporting.....: |                   | 3,032,160:      | a/ 3,335,990    |
| <u>Rye</u>                   |                   |                 |                 |
| 26 countries reporting.....: | 874,459:          | :               | :               |
| Austria.....:                | 23,070:           | 23,896:         | 27,045          |
| Canada.....:                 | 6,523:            | 5,437:          | 4,327           |
| 26 countries reporting.....: |                   | 874,199:        | 1,027,516       |
|                              | :                 | :               | :               |

a/ Revised by minor changes in several countries.

Southern Hemisphere crop prospects

During the week ended November 9, general rainfall of from 2 to 3 inches was received over the wheat and flaxseed zones of Argentina, according to a cable from Agricultural Attaché P. O. Nyhus at Buenos Aires. In some localities as much as 4 inches of rain fell, and considerable apprehension was felt in trade circles over possible rust development. Additional heavy rains might result in damage to the wheat crop, but, in the opinion of Mr. Nyhus, this was contingent upon future rather than past conditions. The wheat crop in Australia was somewhat damaged by stormy weather in northwest Victoria, according to trade reports. Grasshopper injury was increasing in South Australia and was feared over a wide area in New South Wales, where remedies appeared ineffective.

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The European wheat situationSeedings for 1935

Fall sowings of wheat, as well as rye, were made under rather favorable circumstances in most European countries, and the new plants are starting off well, according to the October report of Assistant Agricultural Attaché Gordon P. Boals at Berlin. In central Europe, some indications of a reduction in wheat acreages sown were noted. This may result from shifts to feed or oilseed crops in Germany and Czechoslovakia. In such countries as France, Spain, and Sweden, however, any reduction made would be largely due to the fact that burdensome surpluses have diminished the favorable price advantages previously held by wheat. Not only are farmers inclined to substitute other crops for wheat, but government sentiment also favors such tendencies, states Mr. Boals.

The new grain crops in Germany made a good start under favorable weather conditions, though less than normal rainfall was reported during August-September in western and central areas. A shortage of subsoil moisture, if too long prolonged, could become serious in many sections. No estimates of fall sowings are yet available. Mr. Boals notes some tendency on the part of farmers to increase the acreage of feedstuffs at the expense of bread grains, though the extent of that tendency is not yet well-defined. An increase in the sales of artificial fertilizers was noted for the first months of the 1934-35 season. This continued the upward trend in progress since the low mark was reached in 1931-32. The report, however, suggests that a point of diminishing returns has probably been reached in fertilizer applications to increase yields, except in seasons of unusually fine weather conditions.

Autumn work began early in Austria, and sowings were completed under promising conditions, though poor weather was experienced in late August and early September. The seeds sprouted well, and the fields made a good appearance. No reports are available covering the area of fall sowings in Czechoslovakia. The grain monopoly has recommended to farmers that they use some of their grain acreage for industrial crops, but it is not known to what extent this shift has taken place. An expansion of the acreage under oilseeds is expected this season in Poland. It is not thought, however, that this will have any appreciable effect upon grain acreages.

Wheat markets

A general decline was noted on continental wheat markets during October where prices were not fixed by the government, and trading was rather moderate to quiet, according to Mr. Boals. Combined with overseas influences, the most outstanding features of the market situation include the appearance of a new group of export countries, of which France is the most significant; larger import requirements in certain regions, such as Italy and Czechoslovakia;

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favorable progress in fall sowings; and the elimination of Russia as an important export source this season. Imports into most European countries were rather limited during October, being largely restricted to takings from neighboring countries or from those with which special trade and compensation agreements had been made. Total net imports into the 19 deficit countries of Europe for 1934-35 are still estimated at from 184,000,000 to 234,000,000 bushels.

Aside from wheat and rye purchases from countries with which compensation agreements were in force, grain market developments in Germany during the month were of local rather than international significance. Current supplies of wheat were relatively plentiful, but small offerings by farmers limited supplies of rye and feed grains. Beginning September 24, 1934, all German import purchases came under the control of 25 supervisory offices, in order that complete foreign exchange control could be established prior to the conclusion of each transaction. The Reich Grain Office handles currency permits for grains, feedstuffs, etc., those falling under its market regulating activities.

The Netherlands and Belgium were the only really important continental markets for overseas wheat during October, purchasing Argentine and Canadian grain in some volume. Trading in Czechoslovakia was generally quiet, though some wheat was purchased from Yugoslavia for forward delivery. Flour mills had on hand so-called market intervention grain which they had to buy from monopoly stocks, but some demand for wheat of high gluten content developed late in the month. Austrian markets were also quiet, little affected by movements on world markets, but occasional lots of good-grade Hungarian wheat were purchased. Domestic offers of grain were small. The cooperatives, as in 1933, are obliged to buy all grain offered by farmers at the current market price, but such purchases have not been large. October wheat prices declined considerably in Poland as a result of the discontinuance of market-supporting measures on the part of the State Grain Office. Extensive sales and exports of rye, mostly to the United States and western Europe, were reported in late September and early October.

Denmark bought some French and Swedish wheat during the month. Monthly import licenses for the importation of grains in the period beginning September 1 and ending December 31, 1934, are being allotted by the foreign exchange control to the extent of 35 percent of the average monthly imports of 1932. Competition with French wheat hampered October exports from Sweden, which had moved in some volume to Denmark and Germany in September. A campaign to increase domestic consumption of bread to help decrease grain supplies is reported to have been started by the government. Offerings in Estonia have greatly exceeded the quantities fixed for government purchase. Wheat so purchased will probably be exported to Finland, while rye may be disposed of in central and western Europe. Since September 15, 1934, the grain trade in

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Latvia has been subject to special license and is limited to those firms holding such permits. From September 25 to October 8, the Ministry of Agriculture bought some 25,500 short tons of grain, of which over half was exported. The remainder was either sold on the domestic market or stored. In September, Latvian rye was sold to the United States in some quantity.

The Shanghai wheat market

Wheat prices in Shanghai, influenced by foreign markets, gained in strength early in the week ended November 9, but weakened after the purchase of a cargo of Australian wheat at 77 cents per bushel, according to a radiogram from the Shanghai office of the Foreign Agricultural Service. Supplies of native wheat were comparatively low. Arrivals were moderate in quantity but of uncertain duration, and some interest in foreign wheat was noted. Competition between Argentine and Australian suggested a reduction rather than an increase in prices, and as a result there was no rush to buy extensively for future needs. Should flour prices increase or foreign wheat quotations decline, further wheat sales might take place. Mills were fully occupied, and the flour market was fairly active, with shipments moving to Newchwang before the closing of that port. Business with Tientsin was somewhat dull. Flour stocks in Shanghai remained at a rather high level.

Prices of wheat, c.i.f. Shanghai, were quoted as follows: Australian and Argentine 77 cents, domestic standard 72 cents per bushel. Domestic flour for November shipment was 82 cents per bag of 49 pounds, December 83 cents, January and February shipment, 84 cents per bag. Australian flour, c.i.f. Hongkong, was \$2.89 per barrel of 196 pounds.

FEED GRAINSSummary of recent feed grain information

The second estimate of the 1934 barley crop in Canada is 63,748,000 bushels. This is a decrease of about 5,000,000 bushels from the first estimate, and is only slightly more than the unrevised estimate of the 1933 production. The total 1934 production in the 36 countries so far reported is 1,162,582,000 bushels, a decrease of more than 6 percent from the production in the same countries in 1933.

The oats crop in Canada is now estimated at 345,042,000 bushels, expressed in terms of 32-pound bushels. This is a decrease of about 21,000,000 bushels from the first estimate, but is nearly 6 percent above the small

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1933 harvest. The total 1934 oats production in the 30 countries so far reported amounts to 2,410,751,000 bushels, which is 16.5 percent below the 1933 harvest in those countries.

The November 1 estimate of the 1934 corn crop in the United States is 1,371,527,000 bushels. This is a decrease of about 45,000,000 bushels from the October estimate, and is 41.5 percent below the 1933 harvest, and the smallest since 1881. The first estimate of the crop of corn for husking in Canada is 6,589,000 bushels, an increase of 30 percent over the 1933 production. The total 1934 corn crop in the 14 countries so far reported is 2,025,176,000 bushels, a decrease of about 32 percent from the 1933 harvest in those countries. The condition of the corn crop in Egypt at the beginning of November was reported as 99 percent of average compared with 100 percent a month earlier.

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## RICE

Chosen rice crop improved

Based upon reports of crop conditions existing on September 24, the 1934 rice crop of Chosen was forecast at 5,250 million pounds of cleaned rice, according to a report from the American Consulate General at Seoul. This compares with a final estimate of 5,715 million pounds in 1933 and an average of 5,234 million pounds for the past five years. The area under rice for the 1934 crop is estimated at 4,195,000 acres as compared with 4,160,000 in 1933 and an average of 4,073,000 acres for the years 1929-1933.

Warm spring weather followed by rainfall during the transplanting season of June and July enabled farmers to transplant their rice under conditions more favorable than in 1933. Subsequent to transplanting, however, a considerable portion of the rice crop in the southern provinces was damaged by drought, winds, and floods, while excessive rains and a minimum of clear weather were experienced throughout the entire country. On account of these unfavorable factors there was little prospect at the end of August for a good crop. Improved weather conditions during September, however, and the checking of ravages from insect pests have insured a normal crop in view of the increased acreage this year.

## COTTON

Lagging cotton procurements in Soviet Russia

Cotton procurements (government collections of cotton based on contracts with growers) in Uzbekistan, the leading cotton-growing areas of the Soviet Union situated in central Asia or Turkestan, were considerably behind

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last year. Procurements up to October 25 amounted to 767,000,000 pounds of seed cotton (equivalent to 535,000 bales of 478 pounds of lint) compared with 1,221,000,000 pounds of seed cotton (equivalent to 852,000 bales of lint) collected during a similar period of 1933. Other cotton-growing sections of Russian central Asia were also lagging behind last year in their procurements. Uzbekistan accounted for 45 percent and central Asia as a whole for about 60 percent of the 1933 Russian cotton acreage. Transcaucasia, another important cotton-growing area of the Soviet Union, accounting for about 11 to 12 percent of the Russian cotton acreage, apparently showed better results in cotton collections. The procurements were small, however, in the so-called new cotton areas of southern European Russia, where, unlike the old irrigation cotton regions of central Asia and Transcaucasia, cotton is rain-grown).

The total annual cotton procuring plan for the Union as a whole was executed by October 20 to the extent of only 35.9 percent. Procurements were particularly lagging in the case of the state farms, which executed the plan only to the extent of 27.6 percent. Numerous reports of harvesting difficulties, particularly in the matter of the labor supply, appeared in the Soviet press. Complaints were voiced of unsatisfactory methods of payment making cotton picking on collective farms disadvantageous as compared with other kinds of work, of unsatisfactory distribution of advances, etc., which explain the shortage of harvest labor force. The very short working day also helps to diminish the quantity of cotton harvested. For a detailed statement on the cotton harvest situation in Soviet Russia, see "Foreign Crops and Markets," October 29, 1934, page 447.

Chinese demand for American cotton reduced

The market outlook for American cotton in China during the 1934-35 season is unfavorable, according to radio dispatches from Agricultural Commissioner Dawson at Shanghai. Mr. Dawson estimates that Chinese mills will use only approximately 280,000 bales of American cotton during the 12 months October 1934 to September 1935, as compared with about 350,000 bales during the 1933-34 season and 525,000 bales in 1932-33.

At present the demand for American cotton in China is greatly reduced, due to uncertainty in the money exchange rate and a proposed increased tax on yarn produced in China, and also as a result of the marketing of the 1934 Chinese cotton crop at prices materially below those asked for United States cotton. The Nanking Government is reported to be considering an increase in the yarn tax of 16.5 percent for yarns below 24 count, and 19 percent for yarns 24 count and over. If this tax is put into operation it will in effect amount to an additional rise in the recently increased import duty on raw cotton. The present import duty on raw cotton is about \$8.24 per bale and the internal tax on yarn produced in China \$4.96 per bale. The proposed increase would bring the yarn tax to \$5.95 per bale, making the total (yarn tax plus import duty) on the basis of imported raw

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cotton \$14.22 per bale. Chinese spinners have objected to the proposed yarn tax increase, and recent reports indicate that if the tax is made effective the government will refund to spinners approximately 67.8 cents per bale on piece goods and yarn exported from China. The effect of the increased tax, coupled with the refund to spinners on yarn and piece goods exported, would be to increase the use of domestic cotton in preference to foreign cotton.

Chinese total raw cotton imports during September 1934 were about 45 percent below the imports for September 1933, whereas imports of American cotton in September 1934 were only about half as large as imports in September 1933. Arrivals of foreign cotton in Shanghai during October indicate a further decline in total cotton imports. Deliveries to market centers in October, however, show a 40 percent increase over September, due to heavy receipts from the 1934 Chinese crop. Deliveries to Shanghai mills in October were 14,000 bales American, 6,000 bales Indian, 1,000 bales Egyptian, 59,000 bales Chinese, and 2,000 bales of other. Prices in Shanghai on November 12 were 10.94 cents per pound for domestic, 15.83 for American 7/8 middling, and 11.54 cents per pound for Indian Akola.

Egyptian cotton ginnings progressing

Ginnings of the 1934 crop of Egyptian cotton to the end of October amounted to 589,000 bales of 478 pounds compared with 514,000 bales ginned to the same date in 1933, according to cabled advices from the International Institute of Agriculture in Rome. Of this amount 42,000 bales were of the Sakellaridis variety, 537,000 bales of other varieties, and 10,000 bales were scarto, or linters. In the 1933 period, 31,000 bales were Sakellaridis and 476,000 bales of other varieties.

Cotton production expands in Tanganyika

Exports of cotton from Tanganyika Territory, formerly German East Africa, increased from 11,000 bales of 478 pounds in 1931 to 15,000 bales in 1932, and 24,000 bales in 1933, according to the 1933 report of the Department of Agriculture of Tanganyika Territory. These figures are derived from the weight of the cotton which is actually marketed in 400-pound bales. Practically all of the production is exported and mostly within the year of production. The 1933 exports are slightly higher than the annual figures of 1925 to 1929, which preceded the curtailment of production in 1930 and 1931. Since the latter part of 1930 government officials in Tanganyika have emphasized to the natives that they must increase their production in order to maintain their cash income under existing conditions of low prices. In 1929, when production totalled 23,000 bales, 35 percent was grown by European (white) farmers and 65 percent by natives. In 1932 only 8 percent, and in 1933, 11 percent of the crop was grown by Europeans. The natives have exceeded all previous production records while non-natives have returned in only slight degree toward their former level of production.

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Low prices in 1933 had a profound effect on the growers' cash incomes. When the Liverpool price, including staple premium, was 6d. (12 cents) per pound, the grower received the equivalent of only 5.7 cents per pound of lint at the gin. The balance was absorbed by the buyer's commission .7 cent, ginning fee 1.6 cents, transportation 2.8 cents and the merchant's margin 1.2 cents (conversions at par of exchange).

## TOBACCO

German tobacco acreage increasing

The area allotted by the German authorities for tobacco culture during the 1934-35 season (July - June) has been increased by approximately 3 percent when compared with the 1933-34 season, according to a report from Consul W. A. Leonard at Bremen. The area allotted for 1934-35 totals 30,474 acres compared with 29,582 acres in 1933-34. The German Statistical Bureau estimates that 31,309 acres will actually be cultivated by German tobacco planters during the 1934-35 season, or about 3 percent more than the total area allotted by the semi-monopoly control organization. The increase in acreage over last year is shared by all the tobacco districts. It is stated that during the present season increased efforts will be made to raise acclimatized Oriental tobacco grades and that if their cultivation continues to be successful the area under tobacco may be further extended. The German Tobacco Research Institute reports that the cultivation of tobacco of small nicotine content will also be increased by German planters during 1934-35.

## FRUIT, VEGETABLES AND NUTS

North American apple shipments to United Kingdom running low

Shipments of apples in barrels to the United Kingdom have been considerably below last season from both the United States and Canada. The boxed apple movement has been slightly above that of 1933. Shipments of apples from Canada to the United Kingdom up to November 1 were 394,000 barrels and 765,000 boxes compared with 1,016,000 barrels and 765,000 boxes to the same date of last season. Apple shipments up to October 20 from the United States to the United Kingdom totalled 137,000 barrels and 431,000 boxes, compared with 202,000 barrels and 384,000 boxes in the same period in 1933. Cooking apples have not been needed in the United Kingdom this season, due to the large British apple crop. Inquiry for best dessert apples from overseas has improved in the last few weeks, due primarily to the relatively short supplies of this kind of stock produced in England, and to cooler weather.

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Germany offers poor outlet for American dried fruit

Prospects for the sale of American dried fruit in Germany become less promising as German trade control measures increase, according to Vice Consul Alan N. Steyne at Hamburg. In general the trade remained at a complete standstill during September and October with the exception of a few transactions with a total value of \$20,000 undertaken as a direct exchange for German barbed wire.

The position of imported dried fruit in Germany has become less favorable as a result of the recent division of all German imports into three groups, separating absolute necessities from commodities which might be done without or for which substitutes might be found. It is reasonably certain, the Vice Consul reports, that American dried fruits are not classed as an essential import item. Those classes of goods not falling in the essential group face the possibility of little or no foreign exchange being made available for their importation. Recent regulations covering barter agreements also render that form of trade more difficult. There are indications that Germany is confining her import trade in an increasing degree to products which can be secured from countries with which Germany has clearing or special trade agreements.

In prunes the German market is reported as being adequately supplied until about March 1935. Available supplies are said to be made up of 12,000 short tons of American prunes and 6,000 short tons of Yugoslav prunes. Hamburg stocks of 1933 crop American dried pears, peaches, and apricots are negligible, with little activity in sight for 1934 crop fruit. Between 12,000 and 15,000 boxes of Spanish apricots arrived at Hamburg during September, payments being made via the Spanish-German clearing agreement. The quality was better than in earlier years, but the trade regarded the Spanish product as inferior to American shipments. About 3,000 boxes of Persian apricots were imported in September. Both quality and packing have improved considerably, but continue inferior to shipments from the Pacific Coast. Smyrna raisins enjoyed an improved market during September.

Experimental shipment of Maryland sweet potatoes to England

An experimental shipment of 100 baskets of Maryland sweet potatoes arrived in the London market during the last week of October, according to a report from F. A. Motz, the Bureau's Fruit Marketing Specialist in London. The shipment was divided among 6 or 7 wholesalers. Sweet potatoes are not new to the British market, regular consignments being available from Madeira. The demand, however, has never justified large quantities and only time will prove whether the American product can be popularized.

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The dealers handling the shipment agreed to offer the potatoes to the retail trade at 12s. (\$2.98) per basket. This worked out at about 3d. (\$0.06) per pound. The dealers also requested the retailers to offer them to the public at nor more than 5d. (\$0.10) per pound. Retailers agreed to sell them at this price even though certain shops were asking 8d. (\$0.17) per pound for Madeiras.

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## LIVESTOCK, MEAT AND WOOL

New Zealand has larger export trade in pork

Hog slaughter for export in New Zealand reached the unusually high figure of 465,000 head during the year ended September 30, 1934, according to Consul General G. A. Bucklin. About 324,000 hogs were slaughtered for export in the corresponding 1932-33 period. Of the 1933-34 total export slaughter, 462,000 carcasses were actually exported, with all but a few carcasses being shipped to British markets. In 1932-33, 302,000 carcasses were exported. Carcasses suitable for making into bacon showed the greatest percentage increase in the 1933-34 exports over 1932-33 figures, although a substantial increase also appeared in the figures for carcasses to be marketed as fresh pork.

There was somewhat less activity during 1933-34 in the slaughter and export of New Zealand cattle, sheep, and lambs. The preliminary returns on exports of lamb, the leading item in the New Zealand meat industry, indicated a decline of 1.2 percent in the 1933-34 figures against those of the preceding season. In mutton the decline was even more marked at 17 percent. In chilled beef the 1933-34 exports of 19,576 quarters were about double the corresponding 1932-33 figures. These shipments have been regarded as more or less experimental, but their reception in Great Britain has been regarded as good enough to encourage that form of the New Zealand export meat trade.

Hog numbers down in leading exporting countries

Hog numbers in most of the important hog surplus countries have decreased during 1934 and some further decrease in some of these countries is probable in the next 6 months. Slaughter of hogs in the present year has been reduced considerably in the surplus hog countries, but has increased in deficit countries. World trade in hog products in 1934 also has been reduced. The shifts in hog production and the decline in world trade have been facilitated by import restrictions in most deficit countries and production control programs in most surplus countries.

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An increase in the number of brood sows in the United Kingdom has recently been reported, and hog numbers in Germany in September were estimated to be slightly larger than a year earlier. Hog numbers in Denmark in early fall, according to the recent estimates, were smaller than at that time in 1933. A slight decrease in hog numbers in most provinces of Canada also was reported in mid-summer 1934. In the United States it is expected that the number of hogs at the beginning of 1935 will be much smaller than a year earlier.

Commercial slaughter supplies of hogs in the United States in the 1934-35 hog marketing year will be the smallest in more than 20 years, and hog prices are expected to average materially higher than the low level of the last 3 years. The marked decrease in domestic hog production has been brought about by the unfavorable relationship between hog prices and corn prices since the middle of 1933, the operation of the 1934 corn-hog adjustment program, and the severe drought and resulting shortage in feed supplies during the present year. Hog prices continued to decline through October as hog slaughter increased seasonally, but some recovery in prices occurred in early November. In view of the prospective reduction in hog slaughter a substantial advance in hog prices is expected by late winter.

Prices of bacon and hams in the United Kingdom declined during October, but were materially higher than in the corresponding month last year. As a result of the operation of the British import quota for cured pork, imports of such products into Great Britain have been reduced in 1934. According to present plans a further reduction in the total volume of British imports of bacon, hams, and frozen pork permitted from non-Empire countries is contemplated for 1935. Lard imports into the United Kingdom, most of which come from the United States, have been well maintained during the present year. The virtual closing of German markets to United States lard in recent months has been an important factor in maintaining imports into the United Kingdom.

United States exports of hog products in September were considerably smaller than in September last year. Exports of both pork and lard probably will be further curtailed during the current marketing year (beginning October 1, 1934) because of the prospective sharp decrease in hog production in this country and the maintenance and possible extension of import restrictions in some European countries. See release HP-60, World Hog and Pork Prospects, November 1934.

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AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS OF THE UNITED STATES, 1933-34

After declining for 8 successive years, United States imports of agricultural products for the year ended June 30, 1934, showed some improvement in value and for many commodities also an increase in volume over the 2 preceding years. The total import value exclusive of forest products amounted to \$861,762,000 but for the third time in the last 18 years dropped below the billion mark. Imports exceeded the value of agricultural exports for 1933-34 by \$74,503,000 dollars. It should be kept in mind, however, that at least one half of these imports consist of the so-called non-competitive products, such as raw silk, crude rubber, coffee, tea, cacao beans, etc., which cannot be grown in this country and for that reason do not enter into direct competition with our home-grown products.

For certain commodities such as cacao beans, sugar, olive oil, and palm oil there was a decrease in volume but some gain in value. Most other groups recorded a larger volume of imports and, aided by rising prices, a considerable advance in value. More than one half, or 52 percent, of all imports were agricultural products, approximately the same percentage as a year ago, as against 48 percent of nonagricultural products. Coffee made up 15 percent of the value of all agricultural imports, raw silk 12 percent, crude rubber 10 percent, hides and skins 6 percent, and unmanufactured wool 3 percent.

Sugar and molasses

Not since the close of the World War have imports of sugar been as low as for the year just closed, total imports standing at 2,804,000 short tons as compared with an average of 4,256,000 short tons during the years 1925-26 to 1929-30, or a decrease of 34 percent. During this period, however, the distribution has materially changed. This is explained by the fact that while incoming shipments from our outlying possessions are admitted free of duty, imports from Cuba pay an average duty of about 2 cents a pound. As a result Cuba, which supplied 85 percent during the earlier period, sent us 46 percent of our imports during 1933-34, and the Philippines, which furnished 14 percent in 1925-26 to 1929-30 sent us 52 percent of our imports during the year just closed. Shipments to the United States from Puerto Rico and Hawaii are not included with the import figures but are treated as domestic trade. It is interesting to note that during this same period shipments of cane sugar from Puerto Rico increased from an average of 592,000 short tons during 1925-26 to 1929-30 to 828,000 short tons during 1933-34, a gain of 40 percent, and Hawaii from 822,000 short tons to 924,000 short tons, an advance of 12 percent. The import value increased from an average of 1.73 cents per pound in 1932-33 to 2.07 cents per pound in 1933-34. In addition to sugar, the United States imports a large volume of molasses, the bulk of which comes from Cuba and is unfit for human consumption. Total imports during 1933-34 amounted to 211,170,000 gallons, a gain over the 2 preceding years but considerably less than the 1925-26 to 1929-30 average.

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Fruits, nuts, and vegetables

During 1933-34, the United States imported fruit to the value of \$31,196,000, a small gain over the preceding year. Bananas, which amounted to 43,096,000 bunches valued at \$21,754,000, represented two thirds of the value of all the fruit imported but in both volume and value were the smallest in more than a decade. Central America, Mexico, and Cuba are the countries that figured the heaviest in this trade. Imported olives recorded a gain in both volume and value when compared with the preceding year but were somewhat less than most other postwar years. Spain sends us most of these imports. Except for minor fluctuations, imports of dates show an almost continuous downward trend since reaching the peak in 1925-26 when 70,195,000 pounds were imported. Total imports during 1933-34 amounted to 42,288,000 pounds, valued at \$1,547,000. Imports of lemons, which formerly ranged between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 boxes annually and greatly exceeded exports, fell to 47,000 boxes during 1933-34.

With the increase in domestic production and unfavorable trade conditions imports of almonds and walnuts dropped to one of the lowest points since the 80's and peanuts and filberts to one of the lowest points in over 30 years. Imports of Brazil nuts were below those of most other postwar years. Imports of cashew nuts amounted to 14,069,000 pounds valued at \$1,999,000, a peak figure, and imports of prepared coconut meat, the bulk of which comes from the Philippines, amounted to 48,714,000 pounds, the largest since 1929-30.

Of the vegetable group, potatoes, prepared tapioca, canned and fresh tomatoes are the most important. Imports of potatoes which reached 2,103,000 bushels were above those of the last 2 years but much less than the average for 1925-26 to 1929-30, and nearly 3 times the quantity exported. Canada sends us most of our imported potatoes but during the winter and early spring a considerable volume is also received from Bermuda and Cuba. Much more tapioca was imported this year than last, the total amounting to 207,554,000 pounds as compared with 124,337,000 pounds during 1932-33. Imports of fresh tomatoes were the smallest in a decade amounting to 46,150,000 pounds or about one third the volume imported in 1929-30, the year of heaviest imports. Mexico and Cuba supply most of the fresh tomatoes imported. The United States also imports large quantities of canned tomatoes, most of which come from Italy.

Meats, animal fats and oils

Over 90 percent of all the meat imported during 1933-34 was canned meat which amounted to 39,649,000 pounds, the largest since 1929-30, when imports amounted to 82,638,000 pounds. Most of the imported canned meat

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represented canned beef coming from Argentina and Uruguay. Imports of wool grease amounted to 5,264,000 pounds, a gain over the 3 preceding years, but other meats, animal fats and oils, which did not figure largely in the import trade, were less than a year ago.

Grains and grain products

During the year ended June 30, 1933-34, United States imports of wheat including flour amounted to 11,494,000 bushels, one of the smallest imports during the last 15 years. Most of this is Canadian wheat imported for milling in bond, and later exported in the form of flour. Such imports for milling in bond are subject to compensating duty if the flour is exported to Cuba, while if it is exported to other countries the wheat is imported into the United States duty free. The repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment stimulated the imports of barley malt, the volume reaching 4,976,000 bushels with a value of \$4,029,000, or more than 3 times the quantity imported during any previous year. Canada supplied the bulk of these imports, with an increasing volume coming from Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Hungary. Prior to July 1933, the United States imported rye in negligible quantities only but during the year ended June 30, 1934, the total rose to 11,949,000 bushels. Of this total, 5,260,000 bushels came from Poland and Danzig, 3,533,000 bushels from Canada, 1,438,000 bushels from Argentina, and 731,000 bushels from the Netherlands. Imports of rice, including flour, meal, and broken rice rose to 39,837,000 pounds, the largest since 1927-28 and nearly double the volume imported the year before. More than one half of this was flour, meal, and broken rice which probably originated in the Orient but was credited as coming from the Netherlands and Germany.

Oilseeds and oilseed products

All the principal oilseeds and oilseed products recorded marked advances in both volume and value when compared with the previous year. During 1933-34, the United States imported 17,901,000 bushels of flaxseed, the largest since 1929-30 and nearly 3 times the unusually small imports last season. The major portion of the flaxseed comes from Argentina but during the last year British India and Uruguay have also shared in this trade. Imports of copra made a noticeable advance, the total reaching 653,182,000 pounds, the highest on record and 32 percent larger than the preceding year.

Imports of coconut oil rose to 353,105,000 pounds, a decided gain over the 3 preceding years and a gain of 15 percent over the imports for 1925-26 to 1929-30 when they averaged 301,770,000 pounds.

American buyers took 248,456,000 pounds of palm oil as compared with an average of 182,501,000 pounds during 1925-26 to 1929-30, an advance of 36 percent. Approximately 118,797,000 pounds of tung oil were received

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from foreign sources, the largest since 1929-30, and imports of perilla oil totaled 32,898,000 pounds, a peak figure and a gain of 54 percent over 1932-33. Imports of both edible and inedible olive oil continued the downward trend which set in about 1929-30, and in recent years there has also been a marked decline in imports of soybean oil. American buyers took more soybean oil-cake and meal than during the 3 preceding years. Imports of coconut oil-cake and oil-cake meal, which amounted to 40,548,000 pounds, were the highest since 1925-26 but imports of all other oil-cake and oil-cake meal fell off.

Dairy products and eggs

The decline in imports of cheese and the increase in imports of casein were the outstanding features of the dairy group. Cheese imports, which amounted to 46,904,000 pounds, were the smallest since 1921-22 and imports of butter continued to decline. Imports of casein exceeded those of the last 3 years. There was a reduction in imports of eggs and egg products, the total amounting to a little over 2,000,000 pounds. China is the principal source of these imports, the bulk of which come in as dried eggs.

Wool, unmanufactured

After declining for the fifth successive year, imports of unmanufactured wool turned noticeably upward, the total amounting to 176,988,000 pounds valued at \$24,139,000, a gain over the 3 preceding years but a decline of 35 percent in volume and 72 percent in value as compared with the 1925-26 to 1929-30 average. Nearly one half of all the wool imported was carpet wool, the total reaching 134,979,000 pounds, the largest since 1929-30 and 3 times the very small imports last season. These imports came from China, Argentina, the United Kingdom and British India. Imports of combing and clothing wool combined amounted to 40,306,000 pounds as against 7,693,000 pounds during 1932-33. These types of wool come principally from Australia, Canada, Argentina and New Zealand. Much of this wool is shipped via the United Kingdom, which is recorded as the leading source of our imports of these types of wool. Imports of mohair rose to 1,320,000 pounds, the largest since 1928-29 and over 10 times the low record made the preceding year.

Hides and skins

Hides and skins were in a better position than any year since 1929-30, the total amounting to 334,586,000 pounds valued at \$54,159,000. Of this amount 140,288,000 pounds were cattle hides, or more than double the imports last year. Most of these were wet salted and came from Argentina, Canada, and Brazil. The United States also greatly increased her purchases of goat skins, the total standing at 87,394,000 pounds as compared with 54,391,000 pounds a year ago. British India, China, Argentina, and Brazil supply most of the imported goat skins. Imports of sheep and lamb skins also moved forward, amounting to 50,297,000 pounds as compared with 36,472,000 pounds a year ago. New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, Argentina, and Brazil are the sources of these imports.

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Tobacco, unmanufactured

Imports of tobacco were the smallest in a decade, the total amounting to 55,700,000 pounds. Most of these imports are types not grown in this country, which are used to blend with the domestic product in the manufacture of cigars and cigarettes. Cuba sends us most of the cigar leaf, Greece and Turkey the cigarette leaf.

Coffee, silk, and rubber

Coffee was an exception to the general trend, for while the volume was higher, the value was less than a year ago. Imported coffee amounted to 1,598,107,000 pounds, the third highest on record, but these imports were made at lower prices. Most of the coffee comes from Brazil and Colombia. Less raw silk entered the country than any year since 1923-34, amounting to 69,546,000 pounds or 19 percent less than the 1925-26 to 1929-30 average. Japan sends us most of our imported raw silk. Imports of crude rubber amounted to 1,200,422,000 pounds, the second highest on record, or a gain of 55 percent over 1932-33 and but little below the peak reached in 1928-29. This gain was made in the face of rising prices, the average import value amounting to 7.1 cents per pound, as against 3.1 cents per pound the preceding year.

UNITED STATES: Agricultural imports compared with total,  
1921-22 to 1933-34

| Year ended<br>June 30         | Total              | Agricultural                    |                    |                                 |                                 |                                 |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
|                               |                    | Excluding<br>forest<br>products | Forest<br>products | Including<br>forest<br>products | Percent of total                |                                 |              |
|                               |                    |                                 |                    |                                 | Excluding<br>forest<br>products | Including<br>forest<br>products | Per-<br>cent |
|                               | Million<br>dollars | Million<br>dollars              | Million<br>dollars | Million<br>dollars              | Per-<br>cent                    | Per-<br>cent                    |              |
| 1921-22.....                  | 2,608              | 1,371                           | 157                | 1,528                           | 52.6                            | 58.6                            |              |
| 1922-23.....                  | 3,781              | 2,076                           | 235                | 2,311                           | 54.9                            | 61.1                            |              |
| 1923-24.....                  | 3,554              | 1,874                           | 217                | 2,021                           | 52.7                            | 58.8                            |              |
| 1924-25.....                  | 3,824              | 2,057                           | 227                | 2,284                           | 53.8                            | 59.7                            |              |
| 1925-26.....                  | 4,465              | 2,528                           | 239                | 2,767                           | 56.6                            | 62.0                            |              |
| 1926-27.....                  | 4,252              | 2,280                           | 238                | 2,518                           | 53.6                            | 59.2                            |              |
| 1927-28.....                  | 4,147              | 2,193                           | 216                | 2,403                           | 52.9                            | 58.1                            |              |
| 1928-29.....                  | 4,292              | 2,179                           | 222                | 2,401                           | 50.8                            | 55.9                            |              |
| 1929-30.....                  | 3,849              | 1,892                           | 210                | 2,101                           | 49.2                            | 54.6                            |              |
| 1930-31.....                  | 2,432              | 1,163                           | 143                | 1,306                           | 47.8                            | 53.7                            |              |
| 1931-32.....                  | 1,730              | 834                             | 105                | 940                             | 48.2                            | 54.3                            |              |
| 1932-33.....                  | 1,168              | 612                             | 66                 | 677                             | 52.4                            | 58.0                            |              |
| 1933-34 prelim. <sup>a/</sup> | 1,673              | 862                             | 109                | 971                             | 51.5                            | 58.0                            |              |

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1932-33 and 1933-34**

| Article imported                      | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
|---------------------------------------|------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|                                       |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|                                       |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|                                       |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
|                                       |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| <b>ANIMALS &amp; ANIMAL PRODUCTS:</b> |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| <b>Animals, live:</b>                 |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Birds, n. e. s. ....                  | No.  | 283                | 224                  | 272              | 214                  |
| Cattle-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| For breeding .....                    | No.  | 5                  | 6                    | 368              | 428                  |
| Other .....                           | No.  | 95                 | 63                   | 944              | 648                  |
| Foxes, silver .....                   | No.  | a/                 | a/                   | 9                | 1                    |
| Hogs .....                            | Lb.  | 21                 | 2                    | 2                | a/                   |
| Horses-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| For breeding .....                    | No.  | a/                 | a/                   | 123              | 226                  |
| Other .....                           | No.  | 2                  | 3                    | 265              | 427                  |
| Poultry-                              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Turkeys .....                         | Lb.  | 45                 | 1                    | 5                | a/                   |
| All other .....                       | No.  | b/                 | b/                   | 13               | 8                    |
| Sheep and goats .....                 | No.  | a/                 | 2                    | 3                | 11                   |
| Other live animals .....              | No.  | b/                 | b/                   | 298              | 349                  |
| Total live animals .....              |      |                    |                      | 2,299            | 2,312                |
| <b>Dairy products:</b>                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Butter .....                          | Lb.  | 931                | 687                  | 166              | 119                  |
| Casein or lactarine .....             | Lb.  | 1,082              | 8,116                | 40               | 491                  |
| Cheese-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Swiss .....                           | Lb.  | 12,304             | 7,987                | 2,713            | 2,040                |
| Other .....                           | Lb.  | 43,619             | 38,917               | 9,428            | 8,711                |
| Milk and cream-                       |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Condensed and evaporated.             | Lb.  | 1,164              | 620                  | 52               | 28                   |
| Dried & malted milk, etc.             | Lb.  | 485                | 128                  | 106              | 8                    |
| Cream .....                           | Gal. | 52                 | 25                   | 72               | 31                   |
| Milk .....                            | Gal. | 33                 | 40                   | 5                | 7                    |
| Total dairy products ..               |      |                    |                      | 12,582           | 11,435               |
| <b>Eggs and egg products:</b>         |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Egg albumen-                          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 1,424              | 361                  | 589              | 155                  |
| Eggs, whole-                          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 19                 | 7                    | 5                | 2                    |
| Frozen .....                          | Lb.  | a/                 | 81                   | a/               | 7                    |
| Egg yolks-                            |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 1,595              | 1,809                | 156              | 150                  |
| Frozen, etc. ....                     | Lb.  | 403                | 308                  | 32               | 24                   |
| In shell .....                        | Doz. | 262                | 198                  | 33               | 33                   |
| Total eggs and egg products           |      |                    |                      | 815              | 371                  |

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**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS: Imports of the United States,  
1932-33 and 1933-34 cont'd**

| Article imported                                | Unit      | Year ended June 30 |                      |         |                      |
|---|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|---------|----------------------|
|   |           | Quantity           |                      | Value   |                      |
|   |           | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General | For con-<br>sumption |
|   |           | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33 | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| Thousands                                       | Tncusands | 1,000<br>dollars   | 1,000<br>dollars     |         |                      |
| <b>ANIMALS &amp; ANIMAL PRODUCTS, cont'd</b>    |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Hides and skins, raw (except fur)               |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Buffalo hides-                                  |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| India water buffalo (for<br>rawhide) .....      | Lb.       | 340                | 1,087                | 56      | 193                  |
| Other buffalo, n. e. s. ....                    | Lb.       | 101                | 568                  | 12      | 73                   |
| Total buffalo hides .....                       | Lb.       | 441                | 1,655                | 68      | 266                  |
| Calfskins-                                      |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Dry and dry salted, less<br>than 6 pounds ..... | Lb.       | 4,575              | 2,968                | 780     | 733                  |
| Wet salted, less than<br>12 pounds .....        | Lb.       | 23,293             | 21,111               | 2,037   | 3,604                |
| Total calfskins .....                           | Lb.       | 27,874             | 24,079               | 2,847   | 4,337                |
| Cattle hides-                                   |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Dry and dry salted, over<br>12 pounds .....     | Lb.       | 2,064              | 3,745                | 172     | 432                  |
| Wet salted, over 25 lbs. ....                   | Lb.       | 58,192             | 136,543              | 3,112   | 11,480               |
| Total cattle hides .....                        | Lb.       | 60,256             | 140,288              | 3,284   | 11,912               |
| Deer and elk skins .....                        | Lb.       | 1,473              | 2,414                | 284     | 547                  |
| Goat and kid skins-                             |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Dry and dry salted .....                        | Lb.       | 49,650             | 78,753               | 8,824   | 21,250               |
| Green or pickled .....                          | Lb.       | 4,741              | 8,636                | 372     | 1,188                |
| Total goat and kid skins .                      | Lb.       | 54,391             | 87,394               | 9,196   | 22,438               |
| Horse, colt and ass hides-                      |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Dry and dry salted .....                        | Lb.       | 1,985              | 52                   | 84      | 3                    |
| Wet salted .....                                | Lb.       | 10,049             | 7,903                | 361     | 464                  |
| Total horse, colt, and<br>ass hides .....       | Lb.       | 12,034             | 7,955                | 445     | 467                  |
| Kangaroo and wallaby skins ...                  | Lb.       | 525                | 924                  | 177     | 517                  |
| Kip skins-                                      |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Dry and dry salted, 6-12 lbs                    | Lb.       | 95                 | 1,237                | 7       | 162                  |
| Wet salted, 12-25 lbs. ....                     | Lb.       | 10,050             | 9,854                | 829     | 1,475                |
| Total kip skins .....                           | Lb.       | 10,145             | 11,091               | 836     | 1,637                |
| Reptile skins, raw .....                        | Lb.       | 1,201              | 2,015                | 1,087   | 1,591                |
| Sheep and lamb skins-                           |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Pickled skins .....                             | Lb.       | 24,825             | 27,826               | 1,940   | 4,104                |
| Slats, no wool .....                            | Lb.       | 10,556             | 13,771               | 1,797   | 3,473                |
| Wooled, dry and green .....                     | Lb.       | 1,091              | 8,700                | 84      | 921                  |
| Total sheep & lamb skins .                      | Lb.       | 36,472             | 50,297               | 3,821   | 8,498                |
| Miscellaneous hides & skins,                    |           |                    |                      |         |                      |
| n. e. s. .....                                  | Lb.       | 6,736              | 6,474                | 939     | 1,949                |
| Total hides and skins .....                     | Lb.       | 211,548            | 334,586              | 22,984  | 54,159               |

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AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS: Imports of the United States,  
1932-33 and 1933-34, cont'd

| Article imported                             | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |           |                      |
|--|------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|
|  |      | Quantity           |                      | Value     |                      |
|  |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General   | For con-<br>sumption |
|  |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33   | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| ANIMALS & ANIMAL PRODUCTS, cont'd            |      |                    | Thousands            | Thousands | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| <u>Meats and meat products:</u>              |      |                    |                      |           | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| Beef and veal-                               |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Beef, fresh .....                            | Lb.  | 625                | 227                  | 48        | 20                   |
| Veal, fresh .....                            | Lb.  | 84                 | 14                   | 4         | 1                    |
| Beef & veal, pickled or<br>cured .....       | Lb.  | 768                | 655                  | 50        | 39                   |
| Total beef and veal .....                    | Lb.  | 1,477              | 896                  | 103       | 60                   |
| Mutton and lamb-                             |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Mutton, fresh .....                          | Lb.  | 27                 | a/                   | 2         | a/                   |
| Lamb, fresh .....                            | Lb.  | 14                 | 5                    | 1         | 1                    |
| Total mutton and lamb .....                  | Lb.  | 41                 | 5                    | 3         | 1                    |
| Pork-  |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Pork, fresh .....                            | Lb.  | 1,307              | 258                  | 123       | 34                   |
| Pork, hams, shoulders,<br>and bacon .....    | Lb.  | 2,323              | 1,076                | 476       | 311                  |
| Pork, pickled, salted,<br>and other .....    | Lb.  | 856                | 559                  | 246       | 206                  |
| Total pork .....                             | Lb.  | 4,486              | 1,893                | 845       | 551                  |
| Poultry-                                     |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Dead, fresh-                                 |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Turkeys .....                                | Lb.  | 256                | 126                  | 23        | 16                   |
| All other .....                              | Lb.  | 97                 | 136                  | 19        | 36                   |
| Prepared or preserved .....                  | Lb.  | 527                | 310                  | 127       | 193                  |
| Miscellaneous meats and meat<br>products-    |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Meats, canned .....                          | Lb.  | 30,602             | 39,649               | 2,063     | 2,759                |
| Meat extracts .....                          | Lb.  | 459                | 324                  | 219       | 168                  |
| Other fresh meats .....                      | Lb.  | 606                | 345                  | 48        | 39                   |
| Other prepared or pre-<br>served meats ..... | Lb.  | 3                  | 3                    | 1         | a/                   |
| Total meats.....                             | Lb.  | 38,354             | 43,687               | 3,450     | 3,823                |
| Oils and fats, animal:                       |      |                    |                      |           |                      |
| Edible .....                                 | Lb.  | 603                | 198                  | 28        | 10                   |
| Grease and oils, inedible,<br>n. e. s. ..... | Lb.  | b/                 | b/                   | 47        | 47                   |
| Stearic acid .....                           | Lb.  | 5,172              | 3,413                | 298       | 256                  |
| Tallow, inedible .....                       | Lb.  | 277                | 91                   | 8         | 3                    |
| Wool grease, inedible .....                  | Lb.  | 3,916              | 5,264                | 106       | 182                  |
| Total oils and fats .....                    |      |                    |                      | 487       | 498                  |
| Total meats and meat<br>products .....       |      |                    |                      | 3,937     | 4,321                |

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**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS: Imports of the United States  
1932-33 and 1933-34, cont'd.**

| Article imported                            | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
|---|------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|   |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|   |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|   |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| ANIMALS & ANIMAL PRODUCTS, cont'd.          |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| <u>Silk, unmanufactured:</u>                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Raw silk .....                              | Lb.  | 73,424             | 63,309               | 96,121           | 101,010              |
| Waste and cocoons .....                     | Lb.  | 3,344              | 6,237                | 362              | 1,207                |
| Total silk, unmfd.....                      | Lb.  | 76,768             | 69,546               | 96,483           | 102,217              |
| <u>Wool &amp; mohair, unmfd. actual wt.</u> |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Carpet wool,-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Without merino or Eng. blood                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 26,719             | 80,130               | 1,773            | 8,558                |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 15,355             | 45,702               | 1,204            | 5,987                |
| Other not finer than 40's                   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 1,470              | 7,499                | 130              | 837                  |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 359                | 1,604                | 43               | 261                  |
| Hair of the camel-                          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 21                 | 5                    | 4                | 1                    |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 95                 | 39                   | 30               | 11                   |
| Total carpet wool .....                     | Lb.  | 44,019             | 134,979              | 3,184            | 15,655               |
| <u>Clothing wool:</u>                       |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| 40's 50 44's-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 117                | 152                  | 19               | 24                   |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 32                 | 384                  | 6                | 59                   |
| Finer than 44's-                            |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 350                | 1,992                | 44               | 444                  |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 525                | 4,792                | 89               | 961                  |
| Total clothing wool ...                     | Lb.  | 1,024              | 7,320                | 158              | 1,488                |
| <u>Combing wool:</u>                        |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| 40's to 44's-                               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 934                | 4,787                | 95               | 645                  |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 675                | 1,364                | 121              | 271                  |
| Finer than 44's-                            |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| In the grease .....                         | Lb.  | 4,322              | 23,237               | 668              | 4,798                |
| Other .....                                 | Lb.  | 737                | 3,598                | 121              | 959                  |
| Total combinw wool ....                     | Lb.  | 6,668              | 32,986               | 1,005            | 6,673                |

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| Article imported                                     | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
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|  |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|  |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|  |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| ANIMALS & ANIMAL PRODUCTS, Cont'd                    |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| Wool and mohair, unmfd., actual weight, continued:   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Hair of the Angora (mohair,) Cashmere, alpaca, etc., | Lb.  | 113                | 1,320                | 20               | 195                  |
| Hair of the Cashmere, alpaca, etc .....              | Lb.  | 480                | 381                  | 154              | 127                  |
| Total Angora, Cashmere etc. ....                     | Lb.  | 593                | 1,701                | 174              | 322                  |
| Wool, carbonized .....                               | Lb.  | 0                  | 2                    | 0                | 1                    |
| Total wool, unmfd., actual weight .....              | Lb.  | 52,304             | 176,988              | 4,521            | 24,139               |
| Miscellaneous animal products:                       |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Beeswax & other animal wax..                         | Lb.  | 3,410              | 4,007                | 435              | 670                  |
| Blood, dried (2240 lbs.)....                         | Ton  | 3                  | 7                    | 54               | 236                  |
| Bones, hoofs & Horns, unmfd..                        | Lb.  | 75,410             | 100,847              | 575              | 914                  |
| Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared .....         | Lb.  | 3,033              | 5,111                | 1,795            | 4,809                |
| Feathers, crude .....                                | Lb.  | 1,599              | 2,703                | 454              | 773                  |
| Gelatin, edible .....                                | Lb.  | 966                | 1,264                | 194              | 664                  |
| Glue stock, hide cuttings, etc                       | Lb.  | 11,391             | 17,344               | 442              | 615                  |
| Hair, unmanufactured-                                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Cattle body hair, ordinary                           | Lb.  | 995                | 5,006                | 37               | 226                  |
| Horse hair, tails, or manes                          | Lb.  | 2,819              | 3,256                | 375              | 730                  |
| Other animal hair, n.e.s.                            | Lb.  | 1,407              | 4,902                | 154              | 594                  |
| Sausage casings-                                     |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Sheep, lamb & Goat casings                           | Lb.  | 5,438              | 7,255                | 3,556            | 7,667                |
| Other casings .....                                  | Lb.  | 7,449              | 8,798                | 804              | 1,087                |
| Tankage (2240 lbs.) .....                            | Ton  | 20                 | 20                   | 339              | 471                  |
| Miscellaneous animal products, inedible, n.e.s.      | b/   | b/                 |                      | 484              | 598                  |
| Total animals and animal products .....              |      |                    |                      | 153,319          | 219,008              |

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| Article imported                                    | Unit   | Year ended June 30 |  |                    |  |
|---|--------|--------------------|--|--------------------|--|
|   |        | Quantity           |  | Value              |  |
|   |        | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS:                                 |        | Thousands          | Thousands                                  | 1,000<br>dollars   | 1,000<br>dollars                           |
| <u>Chocolate and cocoa:</u>                         |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Chocolate, prepared .....                           | Lb.    | 286                | 216  | 59                 | 52   |
| Cocoa, prepared .....                               | Lb.    | 4,130              | 3,690                                      | 311                | 332  |
| Cocoa or cacao beans.....                           | Lb.    | 476,421            | 465,931                                    | 18,011             | 19,838                                     |
| <u>Coffee</u> .....                                 | Lb.    | 1,458,161          | 1,598,107                                  | 128,548            | 127,452                                    |
| <u>Cotton, unmanufactured:</u>                      |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Long staple (478 lb.).....                          | Bale   | 33                 | 47   | 2,016              | 3,459                                      |
| Short staple (478 lb.)....                          | Bale   | 100                | 110  | 3,853              | 5,813                                      |
| Total cotton, unmfd.....<br>(478 lb.).....          | Bale   | 133                | 157  | 5,869              | 9,272                                      |
| <u>Fruits:</u>                                      |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| <u>Dried-</u>                                       |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Currants.....                                       | Lb.    | 6,604              | 5,991                                      | 315                | 367  |
| Dates.....  | Lb.    | 47,822             | 42,283                                     | 1,601              | 1,547                                      |
| Figs.....   | Lb.    | 6,038              | 6,799                                      | 368                | 454  |
| Raisins and other dried<br>grapes.....              | Lb.    | 1,267              | 1,095                                      | 101                | 125  |
| Total dried fruits.....                             | Lb.    | 61,731             | 56,173                                     | 2,385              | 2,491                                      |
| <u>Fresh-</u>                                       |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Apples.....   | Bu.    | 6                  | 13   | 9                  | 14   |
| Bananas.....  | Bunch  | 45,114             | 43,096                                     | 22,308             | 21,754                                     |
| Berries, natural or in<br>brine.....                | Lb.    | 2,792              | 4,265                                      | 189                | 217  |
| Cherries, natural state,<br>sulphured or in brine.. | Lb.    | 1,762              | 1,684                                      | 98                 | 95   |
| Citrus-   |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Grapefruit.....                                     | Lb.    | 7,062              | 2,254                                      | 164                | 44   |
| Lemons .....  | Lb.    | 10,822             | 3,471                                      | 277                | 92   |
| Limos .....   | Lb.    | 3,333              | 4,143                                      | 100                | 120  |
| Grapes.....   | Cu.ft. | 262                | 326  | 356                | 353  |
| Pineapples.....                                     | b/     | b/                 | b/   | 707                | 642  |
| Plantains.....                                      | b/     | b/                 | b/   | 157                | 154  |
| Total fresh fruits .....                            |        |                    |  | 24,365             | 23,485                                     |
| <u>Prepared or preserved-</u>                       |        |                    |  |                    |  |
| Cherries.....                                       | Lb.    | 99                 | 67   | 12                 | 11   |
| Citron or citron peel-<br>Candied or prepared.....  | Lb.    | 2,081              | 1,411                                      | 181                | 135  |
| Dried or in brine.....                              | Lb.    | 2,611              | 2,692                                      | 98                 | 160  |
| Ginger root .....                                   | Lb.    | 976                | 920  | 44                 | 60   |
| Jellies, jams, marmalades<br>& fruit butter.....    | Lb.    | 2,856              | 2,387                                      | 256                | 284  |

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| Article imported                              | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                          |                          |
|---|------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|   |      | Quantity           |                      | Value                    |                          |
|   |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General                  | For con-<br>sumption     |
|   |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33                  | 1933-34<br>prelim.       |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:                   |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Fruits, continued:                            |      | <u>Thousands</u>   | <u>Thousands</u>     | <u>1,000<br/>dollars</u> | <u>1,000<br/>dollars</u> |
| Prepared or preserved, cont'd:                |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Olives-                                       |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| In brine-                                     |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Green or ripe .....                           | Gal. | 2,939              | 3,162                | 883                      | 1,435                    |
| Pitted or stuffed ...                         | Gal. | 1,735              | 2,644                | 895                      | 1,921                    |
| Dried and other, n.e.s.                       | Lb.  | 337                | 102                  | 20                       | 8                        |
| Pineapples-                                   |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Product of P. I. ....                         | Lb.  | 7,046              | 19                   | 346                      | a/                       |
| Other .....                                   | Lb.  | 2,829              | 3,588                | 135                      | 174                      |
| Miscellaneous fruits,                         |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| natural or prepared-                          |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| From Cuba .....                               | Lb.  | 8,891              | 5,461                | 160                      | 94                       |
| Other .....                                   | Lb.  | b/                 | b/                   | 712                      | 938                      |
| Total fruits &<br>preparations .....          |      |                    |                      | 30,492                   | 31,196                   |
| Grains and grain products:                    |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Grains-                                       |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Barley .....                                  | Bu.  | 1                  | 30                   | a/                       | 16                       |
| Corn .....                                    | Bu.  | 195                | 244                  | 81                       | 134                      |
| Oats .....                                    | Bu.  | 15                 | 13                   | 4                        | 53                       |
| Rice-   |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Cleaned, except patna .                       | Lb.  | 17,583             | 12,244               | 475                      | 330                      |
| Paddy, unclnd. or brown                       | Lb.  | 1,600              | 4,317                | 30                       | 73                       |
| Patna rice for use in<br>canned goods .....   | Lb.  | 846                | 1,465                | 23                       | 41                       |
| Rye .....                                     | Bu.  | 1                  | 11,949               | a/                       | 5,318                    |
| Wheat-  |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| For grinding in bond ..                       | Bu.  | 6,638              | 8,316                | 3,049                    | 5,170                    |
| For export to Cuba ....                       | Bu.  | c/ 2,745           | 3,025                | c/ 1,431                 | 1,982                    |
| Other (unfit for human<br>consum. & other) .. | Bu.  | d/ 6               | 149                  | d/ 3                     | 150                      |
| Total grains .....                            |      |                    |                      | 5,093                    | 13,267                   |
| Meals and flour-                              |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Rice flour, meal, etc. ..                     | Lb.  | 1,639              | 31,811               | 30                       | 294                      |
| Wheat flour .....                             | Bbl. | 1                  | 1                    | 2                        | 4                        |
| Misc. grain products-                         |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Barley malt .....                             | Lb.  | a/35,043           | 169,195              | d/ 556                   | 4,029                    |
| Biscuits, wafers, cakes, etc.                 |      | b/                 | b/                   | 233                      | 249                      |
| Bran, shorts, etc.-                           |      |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Of direct im.(2240 lb.)                       | Ton  | 41                 | 105                  | 488                      | 1,592                    |
| Withdrawn from bonded<br>mills (2240 lbs.)    | Ton  | 26                 | 70                   | 294                      | 1,131                    |

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| Article imported                             | Unit | Year ended June 30 |  |                    |  |
|--|------|--------------------|--|--------------------|--|
|  |      | Quantity           |  | Value              |  |
|  |      | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. |
|  |      | Thousands          | Thousands                                  | 1,000<br>dollars   | 1,000<br>dollars                           |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:                  |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Grains & grain prod.; cont'd:                |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Miscellaneous grain products:<br>continued-  |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Bread, yeast-leavened ...                    | Lb.  | 2,541              | 2,550                                      | 212                | 246  |
| Macaroni, vermicelli, etc.                   | Lb.  | 1,956              | 1,451                                      | 126                | 115  |
| Other grain and grain<br>products, n. e. s.. | b/   | b/                 | b/   | 397                | 242  |
| Total grains and grain<br>products .....     |      |                    |  | 7,439              | 21,169                                     |
| Nuts:  |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Almonds-                                     |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Shelled .....                                | Lb.  | 4,863              | 3,410                                      | 866                | 770  |
| Unshelled .....                              | Lb.  | 144                | 6  | 8                  | 1  |
| Brazil and cream nuts-                       |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Shelled .....                                | Lb.  | 5,296              | 7,020                                      | 625                | 800  |
| Unshelled .....                              | Lb.  | 17,462             | 16,793                                     | 573                | 633  |
| Cashew .....                                 | Lb.  | 7,151              | 14,069                                     | 892                | 1,999                                      |
| Chestnuts, including marrons                 | Lb.  | 16,107             | 12,680                                     | 568                | 476  |
| Coconuts in the shell .....                  | No.  | 48,063             | 60,944                                     | 667                | 953  |
| Coconut meat, desiccated or<br>prepared-     |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Product of the P. I. ....                    | Lb.  | 34,733             | 47,076                                     | 1,511              | 1,947                                      |
| Other .....                                  | Lb.  | 1,131              | 1,638                                      | 43                 | 67   |
| Filberts-                                    |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Shelled .....                                | Lb.  | 3,307              | 2,026                                      | 300                | 326  |
| Unshelled.....                               | Lb.  | 5,800              | 2,551                                      | 255                | 212  |
| Peanuts-                                     |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Product of the P. I. ....                    | Lb.  | 0                  | 241  | 0                  | 12   |
| Shelled .....                                | Lb.  | 109                | 19   | 2                  | 1  |
| Unshelled .....                              | Lb.  | 195                | 310  | 4                  | 5  |
| Pecans .....                                 | Lb.  | 2                  | 488  | 2/                 | 88   |
| Pignolia .....                               | Lb.  | 325                | 295  | 62                 | 71   |
| Pistachio .....                              | Lb.  | 2,407              | 1,559                                      | 363                | 434  |
| Walnuts-                                     |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Shelled .....                                | Lb.  | 5,778              | 5,547                                      | 795                | 878  |
| Unshelled .....                              | Lb.  | 2,335              | 321  | 144                | 19   |
| Miscellaneous edible nuts,<br>n. e. s. ....  | Lb.  | 1,207              | 818  | 178                | 201  |
| Total nuts .....                             |      |                    |  | 7,876              | 9,293                                      |

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| Article imported            | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |         |                      |
|-----------------------------|------|--------------------|----------------------|---------|----------------------|
|                             |      | Quantity           |                      | Value   |                      |
|                             |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General | For con-<br>sumption |
|                             |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34              | 1932-33 | 1933-34              |
|                             |      |                    | prelim.              |         | prelim.              |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd: |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000   | 1,000                |
| Oilseed & oilseed products: |      |                    |                      | dollars | dollars              |
| Oil cake & oil-cake meal-   |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Bean (soya and other) ....  | Lb.  | 39,858             | 55,625               | 313     | 535                  |
| Cocorut or copra-           |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Product of the P. I. ....   | Lb.  | 8,009              | 40,348               | 62      | 224                  |
| Other .....                 | Lb.  | 3,623              | 200                  | 12      | 1                    |
| Cottonseed .....            | Lb.  | 5,218              | 2,424                | 29      | 15                   |
| Linseed .....               | Lb.  | 20,071             | 17,541               | 138     | 153                  |
| Misc. oil cake and          |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| oil-cake meal .....         | Lb.  | 1,710              | 5,107                | 10      | 43                   |
| Total oil cake and oil-     |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| cake meal .....             |      | 77,489             | 121,245              | 564     | 971                  |
| Oils-                       |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Essential and distilled-    |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Attar of roses (otto) ....  | Oz.  | 30                 | 24                   | 169     | 179                  |
| Bergamot .....              | Lb.  | 52                 | 81                   | 65      | 111                  |
| Cassia and cinnamon .....   | Lb.  | 366                | 374                  | 160     | 212                  |
| Citronella & lemon grass .. | Lb.  | 1,663              | 2,085                | 529     | 766                  |
| Geranium .....              | Lb.  | 122                | 124                  | 395     | 561                  |
| Lavender & spike lavender : | Lb.  | 189                | 314                  | 191     | 553                  |
| Lemon .....                 | Lb.  | 174                | 258                  | 98      | 171                  |
| Lime .....                  | Lb.  | d/ 17              | 49                   | d/ 93   | 258                  |
| Orange .....                | Lb.  | 115                | 139                  | 80      | 134                  |
| Sandalwood .....            | Lb.  | 2                  | 6                    | 9       | 25                   |
| Other essential and         |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| distilled oils .....        | Lb.  | 2,679              | 2,948                | 747     | 1,190                |
| Total essential and         |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| distilled oils .....        | Lb.  |                    |                      | 2,536   | 4,160                |
| Expressed-                  |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| Carnauba wax .....          | Lb.  | 5,705              | 10,686               | 651     | 1,712                |
| Cocoa butter, edible .....  | Lb.  | 13                 | 9                    | 2       | 2                    |
| Coconut oil, prod.of P.I. : | Lb.  | 260,700            | 353,105              | 7,395   | 8,961                |
| Corn oil .....              | Lb.  | d/ 2,114           | 9,345                | d/ 61   | 329                  |
| Linseed oil .....           | Lb.  | 36                 | 10,680               | 2       | 390                  |
| Olive oil, edible-          |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| In pkgs., weighing less :   |      |                    |                      |         |                      |
| than 40 pounds .....        | Lb.  | 35,647             | 26,659               | 3,310   | 3,120                |
| Other .....                 | Lb.  | 36,719             | 30,770               | 2,931   | 3,384                |

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| Article imported               | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
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|                                |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|                                |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|                                |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
|                                |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:    |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Oilseed & oilseed prod. cont'd |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Oils- continued-               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Expressed, continued-          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Olive oil, inedible-           |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Sulphured or foots ...         | Lb.  | 41,034             | 32,551               | 1,395            | 1,513                |
| Other .....                    | Lb.  | 11,759             | 13,964               | 704              | 1,123                |
| Palm oil .....                 | Lb.  | 253,638            | 248,456              | 5,998            | 6,566                |
| Palm kernel oil-               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Edible .....                   | Lb.  | 603                | 358                  | 19               | 10                   |
| Inedible .....                 | Lb.  | 5,397              | 16,026               | 174              | 439                  |
| Peanut oil .....               | Lb.  | 1,209              | 1,218                | 68               | 85                   |
| Perilla oil .....              | Lb.  | 21,373             | 32,898               | 738              | 2,046                |
| Rapeseed (Colza) oil...        | Gal. | 1,024              | 1,738                | 246              | 577                  |
| Sesame oil .....               | Lb.  | a/                 | 3                    | a/               | a/                   |
| Soybean oil .....              | Lb.  | 1                  | 2,512                | a/               | 83                   |
| Sunflower seed oil, edible     | Lb.  | 18,289             | 6,761                | 541              | 226                  |
| Tung oil .....                 | Lb.  | 83,858             | 118,797              | 3,081            | 5,778                |
| Vegetable tallow .....         | Lb.  | 0                  | 26                   | 0                | 2                    |
| Vegetable wax, n. e. s.        | Lb.  | 2,717              | 3,769                | 147              | 228                  |
| Misc. oils, expressed &        |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| fats, n. e. s.-....            |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Edible .....                   | Lb.  | 3,801              | 48                   | 118              | 5                    |
| Inedible .....                 | Lb.  | 7,055              | 24,522               | 308              | 1,119                |
| Total expressed & fats         |      |                    |                      | 27,889           | 37,698               |
| Total vegetable oils           |      |                    |                      | 30,425           | 41,858               |
| Oilseeds-                      |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Castor beans.....              | Lb.  | 70,049             | 113,834              | 1,182            | 2,011                |
| Cobra .....                    | Lb.  | 494,821            | 653,182              | 7,960            | 8,315                |
| Flaxseed .....                 | Bu.  | 6,313              | 17,901               | 4,161            | 18,765               |
| Palm nits & palm nut kernels   | Lb.  | 21,609             | 12,630               | 374              | 155                  |
| Poppy seed .....               | Lb.  | 6,527              | 7,654                | 518              | 488                  |
| Rape seed .....                | Lb.  | 9,732              | 13,254               | 230              | 354                  |
| Sesame seed .....              | Lb.  | 24,716             | 31,239               | 471              | 662                  |
| Misc. oilseeds, n. e. s. . .   | Lb.  | 6,574              | 8,271                | 88               | 143                  |
| Total oilseeds .....           |      |                    |                      | 14,884           | 30,893               |

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| Article imported                | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
|---------------------------------|------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|                                 |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|                                 |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|                                 |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:     |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| <u>Rubber and similar gums-</u> |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Balata .....                    | Lb.  | 2,699              | 3,209                | 1,607            | 1,011                |
| Guayule .....                   | Lb.  | 0                  | 672                  | 0                | 57                   |
| Gutta-percha .....              | Lb.  | 948                | 2,513                | 52               | 249                  |
| Jelutong or pontianak ..        | Lb.  | 9,110              | 14,769               | 525              | 1,234                |
| Rubber, crude, and milk of      | Lb.  | 776,429            | 1,300,422            | 24,165           | 85,258               |
| Total rubber & similar          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| gums .....                      | Lb.  | 789,186            | 1,231,575            | 26,349           | 87,809               |
| <u>Seeds, except oilseeds;</u>  |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Field seeds -                   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Alfalfa .....                   | Lb.  | 3                  | 24                   | a/               | 3                    |
| Clover-                         |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Alsike .....                    | Lb.  | 0                  | 0                    | 0                | 0                    |
| Crimson .....                   | Lb.  | 682                | 1,960                | 32               | 104                  |
| Red .....                       | Lb.  | a/                 | 0                    | a/               | 0                    |
| Misc. clover, n.e.s.            | Lb.  | 1,944              | 1,047                | 240              | 120                  |
| Garden and other seeds-         |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Cabbage .....                   | Lb.  | 187                | 184                  | 85               | 73                   |
| Canary .....                    | Lb.  | 20,084             | 18,784               | 267              | 309                  |
| Onion .....                     | Lb.  | 235                | 157                  | 132              | 108                  |
| Spinach .....                   | Lb.  | 2,628              | 3,894                | 207              | 337                  |
| Turnip .....                    | Lb.  | 973                | 1,145                | 75               | 107                  |
| Misc. garden and flower         |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| seeds .....                     | Lb.  | 1,827              | 2,053                | 461              | 494                  |
| Grass seeds and forage          | Lb.  | 4,607              | 4,098                | 196              | 237                  |
| Sugar-beet seeds .....          | Lb.  | 15,820             | 18,027               | 899              | 1,764                |
| Vetch .....                     | Lb.  | 3,259              | 4,238                | 94               | 172                  |
| Total seeds, except             |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| oilseeds .....                  | Lb.  |                    |                      | 2,688            | 3,828                |
| <u>Spices:</u>                  |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Allspice (pimento), unground    | Lb.  | 2,077              | 2,601                | 75               | 134                  |
| Capsicum, red or cayenne        |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| pepper & chili, unground        | Lb.  | 1,188              | 1,439                | 84               | 101                  |
| Caraway seed .....              | Lb.  | 6,712              | 6,270                | 355              | 493                  |
| Cardamon seed .....             | Lb.  | 147                | 307                  | 68               | 157                  |
| Cassia & cassia vera ....       | Lb.  | 7,917              | 11,543               | 438              | 799                  |
| Celery seed .....               | Lb.  | 789                | 802                  | 211              | 297                  |

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| Article   | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
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|   |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|   |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|   |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| <b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:</b>                  |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| <u>Spices, continued:</u>                           |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Cinnamon & chips of, unground                       | Lb.  | 1,030              | 660                  | 70               | 58                   |
| Cloves, unground .....                              | Lb.  | 3,132              | 5,346                | 288              | 524                  |
| Ginger root, unground, not<br>prepared .....        | Lb.  | 3,762              | 3,642                | 141              | 198                  |
| Mace, unground .....                                | Lb.  | 639                | 836                  | 138              | 234                  |
| Mustard-  |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Ground or prepared .....                            | Lb.  | 989                | 1,175                | 405              | 672                  |
| Unground .....                                      | Lb.  | 12,975             | 12,961               | 454              | 476                  |
| Nutmegs, unground .....                             | Lb.  | 4,975              | 4,630                | 321              | 402                  |
| Paprika, ground .....                               | Lb.  | 4,864              | 5,544                | 543              | 707                  |
| Pepper, unground-                                   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Black .....   | Lb.  | 24,824             | 37,753               | 1,834            | 2,690                |
| White .....   | Lb.  | 4,645              | 5,576                | 426              | 680                  |
| Tonka beans .....                                   | Lb.  | 344                | 425                  | 306              | 346                  |
| Vanilla beans .....                                 | Lb.  | 1,147              | 1,423                | 747              | 1,012                |
| Misc. spices, n. e. s. ....                         | Lb.  | 4,483              | 8,195                | 157              | 345                  |
| Total spices .....                                  |      | 86,999             | 111,128              | 7,061            | 10,325               |
| <u>Sugar, molasses and sirups:</u>                  |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Beet sugar (2000 lb.) .....                         | Ton  | a/                 | a/                   | a/               | 1                    |
| Cane sugar-   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Product of the P. I. and<br>Virgin Is. (2000 lb.).. | Ton  | 1,230              | 1,448                | 64,471           | 82,181               |
| Other (2000 lb.) .....                              | Ton  | 1,721              | 1,356                | 37,369           | 34,164               |
| Dextrose, lactose, levulose,<br>and honey .....     | Lb.  | 62                 | 63                   | 8                | 9                    |
| Maple sugar & maple sirup ..                        | Lb.  | 2,542              | 3,715                | 361              | 490                  |
| Molasses-   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Edible .....  | Gal. | 10,799             | 18,211               | 802              | 1,903                |
| Not for human consumption-                          |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Product of the P. I. ..                             | Gal. | 6,622              | 21,598               | 106              | 270                  |
| Other .....   | Gal. | 128,029            | 171,360              | 3,666            | 4,699                |
| Total sugar, molasses<br>and sirups .....           |      |                    |                      | 106,783          | 123,717              |
| Tea .....   | Lb.  | 94,808             | 87,691               | 10,670           | 16,469               |
| <u>Tobacco, unmanufactured:</u>                     |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Cigar leaf (filler)-                                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Stemmed .....                                       | Lb.  | 5,606              | 6,704                | 4,169            | 4,567                |
| Unstemmed .....                                     | Lb.  | 3,625              | 4,609                | 1,900            | 2,098                |

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|                                       |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|                                       |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|                                       |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:           |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| Tobacco, unmfd., cont'd:              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Cigarette leaf, unstemmed .           | Lb.  | 41,558             | 35,558               | 10,736           | 13,339               |
| Leaf for cigar wrappers ...           | Lb.  | 2,328              | 2,198                | 3,401            | 3,985                |
| Product of Philippine Is. .           | Lb.  | 1,842              | 1,925                | 207              | 160                  |
| Scrap .....                           | Lb.  | 2,392              | 2,630                | 512              | 632                  |
| Stems, not cur or ground ..           | Lb.  | 2,194              | 2,076                | 79               | 77                   |
| Total tobacco, unmfd. ...             | Lb.  | 59,545             | 55,700               | 21,004           | 24,858               |
| Vegetables:                           |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried and fresh-                      |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Beans-                                |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 9,396              | 8,694                | 219              | 232                  |
| Green or in brine .....               | Lb.  | 6,007              | 4,496                | 181              | 124                  |
| Chickpeas or garbanzos--              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 14,442             | 9,712                | 480              | 317                  |
| Green or unripe, & split              | Lb.  | 0                  | 3                    | 0                | a/                   |
| Cowpeas-                              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Blackeye, dried                       | Lb.  | 0                  | 3                    | 0                | a/                   |
| Other, n. e. s. ....                  | Lb.  | 50                 | 0                    | 1                | 0                    |
| Farinaceous substances-               |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Sago flour .....                      | Lb.  | 11,526             | 14,291               | 104              | 156                  |
| Tapioca-                              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Crude & cassava .....                 | Lb.  | 3,990              | 3,587                | 19               | 19                   |
| Ground or prepared ..                 | Lb.  | 124,337            | 207,554              | 1,654            | 3,411                |
| All other .....                       | Lb.  | 2,225              | 3,395                | 135              | 204                  |
| Garlic .....                          | Lb.  | 6,228              | 6,529                | 158              | 190                  |
| Lentils and lupines .....             | Lb.  | 10,579             | 11,890               | 345              | 396                  |
| Mushrooms .....                       | Lb.  | 329                | 462                  | 137              | 233                  |
| Onions .....                          | Lb.  | 4,148              | 4,552                | 50               | 58                   |
| Peas (except cowpeas &<br>chickpeas)- |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dried .....                           | Lb.  | 8,066              | 11,353               | 240              | 455                  |
| Green .....                           | Lb.  | 10,984             | 4,906                | 519              | 247                  |
| Split .....                           | Lb.  | 2,878              | 3,719                | 65               | 132                  |
| Potatoes, white or Irish              | Lb.  | 26,408             | 126,150              | 389              | 1,858                |
| Tomatoes, natural state .             | Lb.  | 59,028             | 46,150               | 1,588            | 1,082                |
| Truffles .....                        | Lb.  | 13                 | 10                   | 22               | 25                   |

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| Article  | Unit | Year ended June 30 |  |                    |  |
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|  |      | Quantity           |  | Value              |  |
|  |      | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:                      |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Vegetables, cont'd:                              |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Dried and fresh, cont'd                          |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Turnips and rutabagas....                        | Lb.  | 93,084             | 92,297                                     | 424                | 792  |
| Misc. vegetables, fresh,<br>n. e. s. ....        | b/   | b/                 | b/   | 570                | 621  |
| Canned-  |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Mushrooms .....                                  | Lb.  | 1,704              | 919  | 373                | 283  |
| Peas, n. e. s. ....                              | Lb.  | 259                | 253  | 22                 | 23   |
| Tomatoes .....                                   | Lb.  | 72,226             | 75,963                                     | 2,451              | 2,921                                      |
| Other vegetables, canned                         | Lb.  | 236                | 214  | 9                  | 11   |
| Prepared or preserved-                           |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Pickled vegetables .....                         | Lb.  | d/ 1,994           | 2,839                                      | d/ 83              | 166  |
| Pimientos, whole .....                           | Lb.  | 2,708              | 2,212                                      | 155                | 213  |
| Sauces .....                                     | Lb.  | 11,094             | 11,440                                     | 351                | 388  |
| Tomato paste .....                               | Lb.  | 11,405             | 11,363                                     | 787                | 836  |
| Other vegetables, prepared<br>or preserved ..... | Lb.  | 7,637              | 7,255                                      | 367                | 435  |
| Misc. edible substances-                         |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Bean cake, miso, or<br>similar substances ..     | Lb.  | 1,293              | 1,190                                      | 39                 | 48   |
| Misc. edible sunstances<br>n. e. s. ....         | b/   | b/                 | b/   | 624                | 740  |
| Total vegetables .....                           |      |                    |  | 12,561             | 16,616                                     |
| Miscellaneous vegetable products:                |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Agar-agar .....                                  | Lb.  | 648                | 469  | 162                | 136  |
| Argols, tartar, & wine lees                      | Lb.  | 14,688             | 16,076                                     | 769                | 932  |
| Beet pulp, dried (2240 lb.)                      | Ton  | 12                 | 6  | 157                | 91   |
| Beverages-                                       |      |                    |  |                    |  |
| Distilled liquors (Pf.Gal.)                      | Gal. | 7                  | d/ 777                                     | 27                 | d/ 3,982                                   |
| Brandy .....                                     | Gal. | ---                | d/ 296                                     | ---                | d/ 1,892                                   |
| Gin .....  | Gal. | ---                | d/ 86                                      | ---                | d/ 272                                     |
| Rum .....  | Gal. | ---                | d/ 54                                      | ---                | d/ 234                                     |
| Whiskey .....                                    | Gal. | ---                | d/ 2,194                                   | ---                | d/ 11,700                                  |
| Other .....                                      | Gal. | ---                | d/ 385                                     | ---                | d/ 1,794                                   |
| Ginger ale, or beer, not<br>alcoholic .....      | Gal. | 6                  | 7  | 5                  | 8  |
| Wines-   | Gal. | 51                 | e/ 848                                     | 141                | e/ 3,218                                   |
| Champagne & other<br>sparkling .....             | Gal. | ---                | d/ 200                                     | ---                | d/ 1,499                                   |
| Still wines .....                                | Gal. | ---                | d/ 2,103                                   | ---                | d/ 6,270                                   |
| Other beverages & fruit<br>juices, n.e.s.....    | b/   | b/                 | b/   | 1,728              | 921  |

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| Article  | Unit  | Year ended June 30 |   |                    |  |
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|  |       | Quantity           |   | Value              |  |
|  |       | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim | General<br>1932-33 | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. |
|  |       | Thousands          | Thousands                                 | 1,000<br>Dollars   | 1,000<br>Dollars                           |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:                        |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| Misc. vegetable products cont'd:                   |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| Drugs, etc. herbs, leaves, roots                   |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| Cinchona bark or other                             |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| from which quinine may<br>be extracted .....       | Lb.   | 1,234              | 1,685                                     | 375                | 582  |
| Licorice extract .....                             | Lb.   | 813                | 825                                       | 82                 | 112  |
| Licorice root .....                                | Lb.   | 46,883             | 63,357                                    | 943                | 1,053                                      |
| Opium, crude, 8.5% or more<br>of morphia .....     | Lb.   | 124                | 131                                       | 295                | 439  |
| Psyllium seed .....                                | Lb.   | d/ 3,283           | 2,245                                     | d/ 183             | 147  |
| Pyrethrum or insecticide<br>flowers .....          | Lb.   | 9,416              | 10,707                                    | 988                | 1,875                                      |
| Senna .....  | Lb.   | 1,333              | 1,994                                     | 57                 | 87   |
| Other drugs, herbs, leaves,<br>etc., n. e. s. .... | Lb.   | 12,989             | 21,862                                    | 1,060              | 1,936                                      |
| Total drugs, herbs, leaves,<br>roots, etc. ....    | Lb.   | 76,075             | 102,806                                   | 3,983              | 6,231                                      |
| Feeds and fodders, n.e.s. ...                      | b/    | b/                 | b/  | 264                | 397  |
| Fibers, vegetable-                                 |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| Crin vegetal ....(2240 lb.)                        | Ton   | 4                  | 5   | 92                 | 159  |
| Flax, unmanufactured-                              |       |                    |   |                    |  |
| Hackled .....                                      | " Ton | 1                  | 1   | 248                | 656  |
| Other flax .. "                                    | Ton   | 3                  | 5   | 458                | 1,275                                      |
| Hemp, unmfd. ...."                                 | Ton   | a/                 | 1   | 53                 | 232  |
| New Zealand fiber ...."                            | Ton   | a/                 | a/  | 5                  | 2  |
| Istle or Tampico ...."                             | Ton   | 5                  | 8   | 190                | 396  |
| Jute, unmfd. ...."                                 | Ton   | 36                 | 49  | 1,824              | 3,422                                      |
| Jute butts, unmfd. ..."                            | Ton   | 2                  | 11  | 77                 | 427  |
| Kapok .....  | Ton   | 8                  | 9   | 1,239              | 1,756                                      |
| Manila or abaca ...."                              | Ton   | 25                 | 43  | 1,392              | 2,648                                      |
| Sisal and henequen ...."                           | Ton   | 166                | 116                                       | 8,191              | 7,640                                      |
| Misc. vegetable fibers,<br>n. e. s. ....(2240 lb.) | Ton   | 6                  | 5   | 252                | 490  |
| Total vegetable fibers "                           | Ton   | 256                | 253                                       | 14,021             | 19,103                                     |

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| Article                                       | Unit | Year ended June 30 |                      |                  |                      |
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|   |      | Quantity           |                      | Value            |                      |
|   |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General          | For con-<br>sumption |
|   |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33          | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
|   |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars     |
| VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, cont'd:                   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Misc. vegetable prod; cont'd:                 |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Hay ..... (2000 lb)                           | Ton  | 9                  | 2                    | 65               | 18                   |
| Hops .....                                    | Lb.  | 4,572              | 5,535                | 1,700            | 3,634                |
| Moss, seaweed, etc., crude ..                 | Lb.  | b/                 | b/                   | 82               | 96                   |
| Nursery & greenhouse stock                    |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Bulbs, roots, & corms-                        |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Hyacinth .....                                | No.  | 16,896             | 12,397               | 558              | 474                  |
| Lily .....                                    | No.  | 15,144             | 15,728               | 407              | 405                  |
| Lily of the valley .....                      | No.  | 9,962              | 10,125               | 96               | 139                  |
| Narcissus .....                               | No.  | 1,048              | 274                  | 20               | 7                    |
| Tulip .....                                   | No.  | 90,949             | 66,572               | 1,078            | 848                  |
| Crocus and other .....                        | No.  | 12,074             | 11,853               | 100              | 79                   |
| Trees, plants, cuttings,<br>and seedlings-    |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Fruit stock .....                             | No.  | a/                 | 0                    | a/               | 0                    |
| Rose stock and plants ..                      | No.  | 6,478              | 5,639                | 70               | 61                   |
| Misc. trees, plants,<br>etc., n. e. s. ....   | No.  | 103                | 8,790                | 26               | 78                   |
| Total nursery and<br>greenhouse stock ..      |      |                    |                      | 2,355            | 2,091                |
| Peat moss ..... (2240 lb)                     | Ton  | 46                 | 41                   | 472              | 557                  |
| Starch .....                                  | Lb.  | e/ 5,691           | - - -                | e/ 100           | - - -                |
| Potato .....                                  | Lb.  | d/ 5,087           | 16,129               | d/ 78            | 343                  |
| Other .....                                   | Lb.  | d/ 924             | 1,720                | d/ 28            | 65                   |
| Sugar cane, natural (2000 lb)                 | Ton  | 214                | 90                   | 352              | 148                  |
| Vegetable ivory (tagua nuts)                  | Lb.  | 11,758             | 20,370               | 118              | 257                  |
| Vegetable products, n.e.s..                   | b/   | b/                 | b/                   | 168              | 317                  |
| Total vegetable products                      |      |                    |                      | 458,369          | 642,754              |
| FOREST PRODUCTS:                              |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Dyeing & tanning materials:                   |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Extracts for dyeing, color-<br>ing, etc. .... | Lb.  | 755                | 384                  | 86               | 60                   |
| Extracts for tanning-                         |      |                    |                      |                  |                      |
| Mangrove extract, product<br>of P. I. ....    | Lb.  | 9,138              | 11,238               | 181              | 235                  |
| Quebracho .....                               | Lb.  | 81,123             | 153,595              | 1,269            | 3,548                |
| Other extracts for tanning                    | Lb.  | 4,629              | 14,539               | 118              | 467                  |
| Gambier or terra-japonica .                   | Lb.  | 2,504              | 3,494                | 143              | 218                  |

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|  |      | Quantity           |                      | Value              |                      |
|  |      | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General            | For con-<br>sumption |
|  |      | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   |
| <b>FOREST PRODUCTS: cont'd:</b>                |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Dyeing & tanning materials                     |      | Thousands          | Thousands            | \$1,000<br>dollars | \$1,000<br>dollars   |
| Logwood .....                                  | Ton  | 10                 | 27                   | 117                | 370                  |
| Myrobalans fruit ..                            | Ton  | 10                 | 15                   | 143                | 265                  |
| Nutgalls and gallnuts .....                    | Lb.  | 1,231              | 2,689                | 76                 | 226                  |
| Quebracho wood ....(2240 lb)                   | Ton  | 0                  | 57                   | 0                  | 794                  |
| Sumac .....                                    | Ton  | 2                  | 2                    | 62                 | 127                  |
| Valonia.....                                   | Lb.  | 20,037             | 26,749               | 179                | 317                  |
| Wattle bark .....                              | Lb.  | 4,666              | 12,257               | 36                 | 141                  |
| Other crude dyeing and<br>tanning materials... | Lb.  | 13,208             | 14,898               | 134                | 225                  |
| Total dyeing & tanning<br>materials .....      |      |                    |                      | 2,514              | 6,983                |
| <b>Gums, resins and balsams:</b>               |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Balsams, crude .....                           | Lb.  | 296                | 372                  | 82                 | 101                  |
| Camphor-                                       |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Natural-                                       |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Crude .....                                    | Lb.  | 1,540              | 2,528                | 357                | 565                  |
| Refined .....                                  | Lb.  | 1,062              | 1,682                | 303                | 597                  |
| Synthetic .....                                | Lb.  | 537                | 935                  | 140                | 266                  |
| Chicle, crude .....                            | Lb.  | 3,322              | 5,551                | 1,006              | 1,380                |
| Gums and resins, n. e. s.-                     |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Arabic or Senegal .....                        | Lb.  | 5,672              | 5,781                | 232                | 320                  |
| Kadaya (karaya) & talka...                     | Lb.  | 3,141              | 4,786                | 158                | 358                  |
| Tragacanth .....                               | Lb.  | 1,801              | 1,911                | 331                | 396                  |
| Other gums and resins, n.e.s.                  | Lb.  | f/ 4,729           | f/ 4,107             | 300                | 385                  |
| Tar, pitch & turpentine ...                    |      | b/                 | b/                   | 156                | 155                  |
| Varnish gums & resins-                         |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Damar .....                                    | Lb.  | 7,216              | 16,189               | 252                | 882                  |
| Kauri .....                                    | Lb.  | 716                | 1,826                | 52                 | 168                  |
| Sap, crude, seed, button<br>and stick .....    | Lb.  | 9,550              | 12,367               | 813                | 1,162                |
| Shellac-                                       |      |                    |                      |                    |                      |
| Bleached .....                                 | Lb.  | e/ 3,818           | - - -                | e/ 353             | - - -                |
| Unbleached .....                               | Lb.  | d/ 154             | 605                  | d/ 25              | 127                  |
| Other varnish gums, etc..                      | Lb.  | d/ 4,130           | 11,542               | d/ 386             | 1,492                |
| Total gums, resins &<br>balsams                | Lb.  | 10,237             | 16,523               | 393                | 832                  |
|  |      |                    |                      | 5,339              | 9,186                |

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|---|-------|--------------------|--|------------------|--|
|   |       | Quantity           |  | Value            |  |
|   |       | General            | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. | General          | For con-<br>sumption<br>1933-34<br>prelim. |
|   |       | Thousands          | Thousands                                  | 1,000<br>dollars | 1,000<br>dollars                           |
| FOREST PRODUCTS, cont'd:                  |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| <u>Wood:</u>                              |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Boards, sawed, planks, &<br>deals, etc.-  |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Hardwood- .....                           | M.ft. | 12                 | 30   | 371              | 1,097                                      |
| Softwood-                                 |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Fir .....                                 | M.ft. | 4                  | 24   | 44               | 483  |
| Hemlock .....                             | M.ft. | a/                 | 3  | 3                | 51   |
| Spruce .....                              | M.ft. | 123                | 189  | 2,108            | 4,149                                      |
| Pine .....                                | M.ft. | 61                 | 111  | 1,254            | 2,595                                      |
| Other .....                               | M.ft. | 6                  | 4  | 214              | 131  |
| Brier, ivy or laurel root                 | b/    | b/                 | b/   | 195              | 294  |
| Cabinet woods-                            |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| In the log-                               |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Cedar, Spanish .....                      | M.ft. | 1                  | 1  | 40               | 42   |
| Mahogany .....                            | M.ft. | 5                  | 5  | 258              | 376  |
| Other .....                               | M.ft. | 1                  | 3  | 101              | 382  |
| Sawed-                                    |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Product of the P. L.                      | M.ft. | 5                  | 20   | 141              | 720  |
| Other .....                               | M.ft. | 6                  | 6  | 310              | 355  |
| Laths .....                               | M.    | 139                | 159  | 337              | 414  |
| Logs & timber, except cab-<br>inet woods- |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Cedar .....                               | M.ft. | 38                 | 27   | 337              | 264  |
| Fir, spruce or western<br>hemlock .....   | M.ft. | 83                 | 40   | 662              | 386  |
| Teak .....                                | M.ft. | a/                 | a/   | 21               | 12   |
| Other, n. e. s. ....                      | b/    | b/                 | b/   | 101              | 111  |
| Pickets and palings .....                 | b/    | b/                 | b/   | 111              | 165  |
| Poles, telegraph, telephone<br>etc.....   | No.   | 119                | 218  | 434              | 638  |
| Pulpwood-                                 |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Peeled-                                   |       |                    |  |                  |  |
| Spruce .....                              | Cord  | 369                | 585  | 3,382            | 4,428                                      |
| Other .....                               | Cord  | 71                 | 97   | 416              | 520  |
| Rosed, - spruce.....                      | Cord  | 1                  | 13   | 8                | 84   |

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**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS: Imports of the United States,  
1932-33 and 1933-34, cont'd**

| Article  | Unit  | Year ended June 30 |                      |                          |                          |
|--|-------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|  |       | Quantity           |                      | Value                    |                          |
|  |       | General            | For con-<br>sumption | General                  | For con-<br>sumption     |
|  |       | 1932-33            | 1933-34<br>prelim.   | 1932-33                  | 1933-34<br>prelim.       |
| <b>FOREST PRODUCTS, cont'd:</b>                          |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| <u>Wood, continued:</u>                                  |       | <u>Thousands</u>   | <u>Thousands</u>     | <u>1,000<br/>dollars</u> | <u>1,000<br/>dollars</u> |
| Pulp wood, continued-                                    |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Rough-   |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Spruce .....   | Cord  | 110                | 123                  | 809                      | 947                      |
| Other .....  | Cord  | 0                  | 4                    | 0                        | 21                       |
| Railroad ties .....                                      | No.   | 399                | 398                  | 293                      | 363                      |
| Rattan, unmanufactured .....                             | Lb.   | 3,299              | 7,901                | 158                      | 455                      |
| Shingles .....   | Sq.   | 1,378              | 1,422                | 2,673                    | 3,653                    |
| Veneers & plywoods .....                                 | Sq.ft | 1,635              | 5,628                | 26                       | 109                      |
| Other wood, unmfd. or<br>semi-mfd.....                   | b/    | b/                 | b/                   | 677                      | 1,267                    |
| Total wood .....   |       |                    |                      | 15,484                   | 24,510                   |
| <u>Misc. forest products:</u>                            |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Cork wood or bark, unmfd..                               | Lb.   | 37,946             | 110,480              | 719                      | 2,820                    |
| Osier or willow for basket<br>making .....               | Lb.   | 108                | 140                  | 2                        | 4                        |
| Wood pulp-   |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Chemical-  |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Sulphate-  |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Bleached... (2240 lb.)                                   | Ton   | 25                 | 46                   | 1,903                    | 3,054                    |
| Unbleached (Kraft) "                                     | Ton   | 281                | 503                  | 8,145                    | 14,389                   |
| Sulphite-  |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Bleached ... "   | Ton   | 303                | 427                  | 14,180                   | 21,732                   |
| Unbleached . "   | Ton   | 478                | 685                  | 14,572                   | 22,711                   |
| Soda pulp .... "   | Ton   | 2                  | 6                    | 54                       | 255                      |
| Mechanically ground-                                     |       |                    |                      |                          |                          |
| Bleached .....   | Ton   | 16                 | 9                    | 244                      | 183                      |
| Unbleached ... "   | Ton   | 132                | 188                  | 2,357                    | 3,312                    |
| Total forest products, excl.<br>rubber & similar gums..  |       |                    |                      | 65,543                   | 109,149                  |
| Total vegetable products, incl.<br>forest products       |       |                    |                      | 523,912                  | 751,903                  |
| Total vegetable products, ex-<br>cluding forest products |       |                    |                      | 458,369                  | 642,754                  |
| Total agricultural imports,<br>incl. forest products ... |       |                    |                      | 677,231                  | 970,911                  |
| Total agricultural imports,<br>excl. forest products     |       |                    |                      | 611,688                  | 861,762                  |

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a/ Less than 500. b/ Reported in value only. c/ Includes "other" prior to Jan. 1, 1933. d/ January 1 - June 30. e/ July 1 - December 31. f/ Excludes dutiable.

g/ Includes \$7,284 dutiable and \$292,962 free. h/ Includes \$38,128 dutiable and \$347,235 free.

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